

**E. coli O157:H7 Investigation Form**  
Arizona Department of Health Services

State I.D. Number: \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\*Please attach Communicable Disease Report (CDR) to this form\*\***

Reporting State: _____ County: _____	
<b>I. DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION</b>	
1. Name-Last _____ First _____	2. Date of Birth: ____/____/____ or Age: ____ years ____ months mo day yr
<b>II. ISOLATE INFORMATION</b>	
3. Source of Specimen: Stool (whole, stool swab, rectal swab) Other (specify): _____ Not Isolated Unknown	8. This case reported by: Hospital lab          State Lab Other lab          Other (specify): _____ Physician Infection Control Practitioner School
4. Date of Specimen Collection: ____/____/____ mo day yr	
5. Was identification of the O157 serogroup confirmed, either at the State Public Health Laboratory or at the Centers for Disease Control? Yes No Unknown	Reporting laboratorian's name: _____ Telephone: ( ) _____ - _____
6. Was identification of the H7 serotype confirmed, either at the State Public Health Laboratory or at the Centers for Disease Control? Yes No Unknown	Physician's name: _____ Telephone: ( ) _____ - _____
7. Was Shiga-like toxin production confirmed, either at the State Public Health Laboratory or at the Centers for Disease Control? Yes No Unknown	
<b>III. CLINICAL INFORMATION</b>	
9. Date of Illness Onset: ____/____/____ Unknown mo day yr	13. Did the patient: (please check one answer for <u>each</u> question) Yes No Unknown
10. Did the patient have: (please check one answer for <u>each</u> question) Yes No Unknown  Diarrhea Vomiting Visible blood in stools Fever (or felt feverish) Abdominal cramps	have Hemolytic Uremic Syndrome? (i.e. hemolytic anemia, low platelet count, kidney impairment):  have Thrombotic Thrombocytopenic Purpura? (i.e. hemolytic anemia, low platelet count, kidney impairment, central nervous system involvement, fever):  undergo dialysis?  have surgery?  die?
11. Was the patient admitted overnight to a hospital for this illness? Yes No Unknown if yes, name of hospital: _____	
12. Was the patient treated with antibiotics? Yes No Unknown if yes, name and dose: _____	
<b>IV. PUBLIC HEALTH INFORMATION</b>	
14. Does the patient attend or work in: a child day care center? Yes No Unknown an institution?  if yes, where: _____	15. Is the patient usually employed as: Yes No Unknown  a health care worker? a food handler?  if yes, where: _____
<b>V. DATA COLLECTOR INFORMATION</b>	
Person Completing This Form: _____ Agency: _____ Phone Number: _____ Date: ____/____/____ mo day yr ( ) _____ - _____	

**\*Note: If patient was hospitalized, please attach copy of discharge summary if possible.**

**VI. EPIDEMIOLOGIC INFORMATION**

16. In the 7 days before the illness began, did the patient eat at:  
Yes No Unknown

a fast food restaurant?  
another restaurant?

if yes, name and location of restaurant(s)

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17. In the 7 days before the illness began, did the patient eat or drink any of the following items at home, in a restaurant, or in any other place?

Yes No Unknown

raw (unpasteurized) milk

other dairy products made from  
raw (unpasteurized) milk

well water

other unchlorinated water

apple cider

any ground beef or hamburger

pink or red ground beef or hamburger

any steak or roast beef

pink or red steak or roast beef

if yes, please list brand names and location where purchased:

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22. In the 7 days before the illness began, did the patient:

Yes No Unknown

visit or live on a farm?

have contact with any cows  
or cattle?

touch any cow manure?

have contact with any children who  
attend a day care center?

change any diapers?

have contact with any children  
who use diapers?

go swimming?

if yes, where? \_\_\_\_\_

travel to another state?

if yes, where? \_\_\_\_\_

travel to another country?

if yes, where? \_\_\_\_\_

From? \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

23. Did anyone else in the patient's home have diarrhea in the 7 days before or after this patient's illness began?

Yes No Unknown

if yes, please obtain the following information on these people:

Name	Age	Sex	Bloody Stools?
			Yes No Unknown

_____	_____	_____	
_____	_____	_____	
_____	_____	_____	
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24. Does the patient know anyone else who has had a similar illness in the past 3 weeks?

Yes No Unknown

if yes, please obtain names and telephone numbers of persons with similar illnesses:

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25. Did this case occur as part of an outbreak (two or more cases of *coli* O157:H7 infection associated by time and place)?

Yes No Unknown

if yes, please describe: \_\_\_\_\_

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